



Brackensdale Infant School
Walthamstow Drive
Mackworth

Monday 17 October 2016

Dear Parents

Industrial Action – Thursday 20 and Friday 21 October

Industrial action, in the form of a 2 day strike, is planned for Thursday 20 and Friday 21 October 2016.

The decision to close parts of the school is never taken lightly, but in this instance, where staff have elected to take lawful industrial action, I have no choice but to take appropriate steps to ensure the health, safety and well being of all pupils.

We are aware that the closure of parts of the school does inconvenience parents and carers, and so I am writing to give you advance notice of the likely impact of the action on this school.

Should the situation change, then you will be notified by letter and by text message.

Thank you for your patience and understanding.

Yours sincerely

On Thursday 20 October, the following classes will be **closed**:

Nursery, morning and afternoon sessions

Reception classes, Chimps and Penguins

Ark Classes, Owls and Eagles

On Thursday 20 October, the following classes will be **open as normal**:

Year 1 classes, Foxes and Giraffes

Year 2 classes, Panthers and Koalas

On Friday 21 October, ALL classes will be closed to children

SCHOOL REOPENS AFTER HALF-TERM ON MONDAY 31 OCTOBER

